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Subject: RE: PFAS structures

Ok. I'm glad I checked! That sentence currently in there was my first pass/understanding of the overall working definition. Let's replace with the one that you provided in the update yesterday. I hadn't seen the structural description at the time I drafted that earlier sentence.

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I guess I am a little confused. The sentence "For the purposes of this proposed action, the definition of PFAS includes per- and polyfluorinated compounds with two or more carbons together with fluorine, neither of which is saturated. " is sort of correct (both carbons do not have to be fully fluorinated, only one), but we also have the structural description that further defines this – the R-(CF₂)-C(F)(R')(R''). The values for R, R' and R'' were described under the structures.

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Sure—copied here, it's from the working copy of the NPRM, bottom of page 9:

For the purposes of this proposed action, the definition of PFAS includes per- and polyfluorinated compounds with two or more carbons together with fluorine, neither of which is saturated.

(it also looks like OGC went through this document yesterday since the last time I reviewed it, so there are additional questions/considerations in the comments of this section that I'll flag for you.)

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Can you show me the 2 so I can compare? Want to make sure it is right...

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Thanks. Is the structure definition you updated in option 4 how it should be phrased in the FRN? There's another definition I included previously to discuss the scope but I can replace with this updated definition if preferred.

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Updated structures and the structure in the definition (option 4)

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I was going to go over our latest version but cannot find it. Can you send me a link?

Thanks.
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